Directions to Sunrise Research Orchard

The WSU Sunrise Research Orchard is located between Wenatchee and Quincy on highway 28. From Wenatchee travel south about 11 miles and turn left on Sunrise Ln. From Quincy travel towards Wenatchee on highway 28 about 17 miles and turn right on Sunrise Ln.

Left turns into Sunrise Ln. crosses highway traffic. Use caution and consider turning right then crossing the road when all traffic has cleared.

Sunrise Research Orchard Field Day – 2010

July 29 from 9 am to 12 pm

You are invited to attend the second annual field day at the WSU Sunrise Research Orchard. The orchard was established as a collaborative effort between WSU and the tree fruit industry in 2007.

Please come and see how the site has developed into a modern orchard and sample from some of the research that is or will occur at this site.

Jay Brunner, Director

Program Summary

Research Orchard Development – update on the development of the new orchard.

Apple Breeding – discussion of germplasm planting and role in development of new cultivars adapted to Washington.

Biological Control – new traps and information on enhancing biological control in orchards will be discussed.

Crop Load Management – mechanical technologies for thinning apple, pear, cherry, and soft fruits will be demonstrated and research results discussed.

Apple Replant – a new planting featuring treatments for managing apple replant disease in organic systems will be shown.

Automated Traps – an automated insect trap will be shown and an update on its development will be given.

Weed Seeker Technology – a technology that targets only weeds when present will be demonstrated.

A collaborative event:

Tree Fruit Research & Extension Center,
WSU Extension,
USDA-ARS Fruit Research Laboratory,
and
Tree Fruit Research Commission

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